

National Weather Service Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



Location

Time Local/ Path Length Width Persons Damage
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Path Width Persons Damage

November 1998

Killed Injured Property Crops Character of Storm

CALIFORNIA, Upper

NONE REPORTED.

OREGON, Southwest

ORZ003 Southern Coast

20 1300PST 0 0 High Wind (G55)

Observed winds: Gold Beach 1737G44 KT, Cape Arago 1937G51KT Peak Wind 55 KT

A strong Pacific front moved onshore, bringing strong winds and heavy precipitation to the coastal areas.

ORZ003 Southern Coast

See below.

A series of wet Pacific winter storms dumped quite a bit of precipitation in the Oregon coastal areas, leading to an extended flood episode along the Coquille River. Flood readings are as follows:

11/23 11/2211/24 11/25 Flood Stage 11/26 11/27 N. Fork Coquille@Myrtle Point 35.68 35.00 Coquille@Coquille 21.90 21.00 21.83 21.19 21.59 21.64

ORZ003 Southern Coast

21 1500PST 0 0 Flood

See below

A series of wet Pacific storms led to flooding on several major rivers in SW Oregon. The lower Rogue River flooded for less than a day

Rogue River@Agness, OR recorded a stage of 17.60 ft at 0800 PST on 11/22. Flood Stage is 17.00 feet.

ORZ003-015 Southern Coast - South Central Oregon

Winds 35-40 mph with gusts to 58 mph reported at Bandon at 1200 and 1600 PST.

A winter storm developed off the coast of southern Oregon and moved up the coast...a typical high wind scenario for the coastal areas. Some thunderstorms were associated with the low. This same system also brought strong winds way east in Lake County, OP

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Southern Coast

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24 1400PST 0 0 High Wind (G85)

Cape Arago C-man 40 mph gusting to 65 mph at 1400 PST.

Yet another winter storm plowed into the Oregon coast on 11/24/98, bringing an extended high wind episode to the coastal areas.

High wind warnings were issued at 1439 PST on 11/24/98 and lasted until 11/26/98 at 0253 PST.

ORZ015 South Central Oregon

29 1000PST 0 0 Heavy Snow

8 inches new snow in 12 hours reported at Chemult

Showers associated with an upper low dumped locally heavy snow over South Central Oregon.